

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A display device comprising:
a display panel comprising ~~having~~ a spare wiring with which to repair imperfect connection in a signal wiring,
wherein a terminal portion of the spare wiring is composed of first and second portions that are separated and electrically isolated from each other.

2. (Original) The display device according to claim 1, wherein the first and second portions of the terminal portion of the spare wiring are located at separate positions on a same surface of the display panel.

3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently amended) A method of repairing the display device according to claim 1, comprising ~~the step of:~~ when the signal wiring is broken, connecting the signal wiring to the spare wiring at an intersection therebetween and connecting together the first and second portions of the terminal portion of the spare ~~terminal~~ wiring.

5. (New) The display device of claim 1, wherein the first portion is so disposed as to reach an edge of a substrate of the display panel and be linked with a terminal disposed on a tape carrier package, and the second portion is so disposed as to be linked with the spare wiring.

6. (New) The display device of claim 5, wherein an open space is formed in the tape carrier package, and

a part of the first portion, a portion separating the first and second portions, and a part of the second portion are exposed to external atmosphere via the open space.

7. (New) A display device comprising:

a display panel comprising a spare wiring with which to repair imperfect connection in a signal wiring,

wherein a terminal portion of the spare wiring comprises first and second portions that are electrically insulated from one another.

8. (New) The display device of claim 7, wherein

the first portion is electrically connected to a terminal disposed on a tape carrier package, and the second portion is electrically connected to the spare wiring;

an open space is formed in the tape carrier package; and

a part of the first portion, an area separating the first and second portions, and a part of the second portion are exposed to external atmosphere via the open space.